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### IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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In re

Application of:

Risch et al

10/761,873

Filed:

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January 21, 2004

For:

Process For Removing

Oxygenates From An Olefinic

Stream

Examiner: Unassigned

Group Art Unit No. 1764

Attorney Docket No. 2002B154/2

Baytown, Texas

Customer No. 23455

Commissioner of Patents Alexandria, VA 22313

#### STATUS INQUIRY

Dear Sir:

Applicants, through their attorney of record, hereby inquire as to the current status of the above referenced application. We have not yet received an office action on the foregoing case. If for some reason, an office action has been sent but not received by us, please let us know so that we can respond in a timely manner. Otherwise, we await your formal correspondence in due course.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: May, 4, 2005

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